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To guard against mistake or flaw  
in any clause or line,  
it takes a lawyer now to draw  
A proper valentine.

—Pittsburgh Post.

Muelin Underwear cheap. New York Store.

It is doubtful if the Committee appointed by Council Wednesday night to interview the Cincinnati Gas Transportation Company in regard to supplying this city with natural gas will accomplish much. As yet there is not a city or town between the Big Sandy river and Covington that has the assurance of being supplied with natural gas. Even Newport is given the go-by.

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Smoke Mognette Cigar, 10c. G. W. Childs, maker.

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The sale of saddle horses scheduled for Lexington February 18th and 19th promises to be the biggest event of the kind of the season. There are 150 saddle horses in the list, stallions, geldings, mares, brood mares and youngsters.

William Barber, on trial at Owingsville, was given one year in prison for shooting into a picnic crowd.

Bluegrass and other seeds used by Kentucky farmers are purer this year than ever before, says State Entomologist H. Garman of Lexington in a report to the State Agricultural Department. His examination of seeds shows an average of only 8 per cent. inert matter, as against about 20 per cent. in previous years.

## HALF CENTURY

In Drug Business at Maysville—Dr.  
J. James Wood Rounds Out  
Fifty Years

Today, Friday, the 19th of February, marks and rounds out Mr. J. James Wood's 50th year in the drug business in Maysville.

It is of course understood what an advance a half century has made in the sale of pills, paints and patent medicines, and what a difference there is in the ancient "apothecary shop" of old times compared with the modern drug emporium of today.

Dr. Wood, who is still in vigorous mind and health, and who has retired from the arduous drudgery of constant business, is still at the head of the well known firm of J. James Wood

& Son, which remains one of the landmarks and leading drug houses of the State. Mr. Wood now occupies his leisure in reading, domestic and Church duties and in the boom of his devoted family.

His legion of friends wish him continued good health and prosperity and hope to see him round out his 75th, or diamond anniversary, in commercial pursuit.

All of the section men on the Dover section of the C. and O. Railroad, and presumably on other sections, have been laid off, and Foreman McNutt is the whole pish. Many night telegraph offices have been closed, says The Dover News.

It coaxes back that well feeling, healthy look, puts the sap of life in your system, protects you from disease. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea has no equal as a spring tonic for the whole family. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets. Thos. J. Chesworth.

THE HOME STORE.

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THE HOME STORE.

## Spring Display of Woolens

Our Merchant Tailoring Department, under the supervision of Mr. Phillip Boehm, is turning out some handsome work. Our entire spring line of Woolens is now in. Satisfaction guaranteed.

HATS---The newest and nobbiest creations in Stiff and Soft Hats out for this spring.

SHOES FOR SPRING WEAR---The four greatest lines in the country, Hanan, Douglas, Walkover and Nettleton. See window displays.

MAYSVILLE'S HOME STORE.

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MARDI GRAS

Carnival Week

At Princess Rink.

TONIGHT

**Friday, February 19th**—The most laughable night of all. A genuine real initiation will be put on. Come prepared to laugh until you cry. Did you ever see a real initiation? Didn't? Well, you can't afford to miss seeing the Knight's of St. John put a candidate through. No fake. It's the real thing. Ladies, you've heard your men folk talk about the fun they had at the Lodge when so-and so was initiated. Come and see the fun.

**Saturday, February 20th**—Afternoon Masque for the little folks. A \$2 prize for the best child mask and a \$1 prize for the second best. Good moving pictures and lots of fun for the little ones. Admission and skate 15 cents.

**Saturday Night** will be the candidates' night. Judge C. D. Newell has been prevailed upon to address the crowd. Candidates, you can't afford to miss this opportunity to shake hands with your friends. Every voter in Maysville and Mason county will be represented at the Rink on Saturday night, February 20th.

**Special Features of Week**—A \$1 Carnival Commutation Ticket will entitle the holder to admission and skate the entire week. The tickets are not transferable.

New moving pictures every night.

A prize of \$5 in gold will be given to the party of 5 who come the longest distance to the Carnival. Parties must register at the Rink Office.

The lady who sells most tickets will be given the beautiful gold watch now on display at Clooney's window. Ladies call at Mike Brown's and get the tickets.

A free chance on \$10, \$5 and \$250 in gold given away on each admission ticket. The drawing for these prizes will take place on Saturday night at the Rink and ticket must be present.

GET IN THE CROWD  
and be Merry.

## Personal

Mr. Charles Lafferty was a Portsmouth visitor Wednesday.

Mr. S. Straus of the New York Store was in Cincinnati yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wheatlay of Ewing were pleasant visitors to the city Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Lee and visiting guests spent yesterday with relatives in Lawburg.

Miss Elizabeth Kirk and Miss Anna Peed of Washington were pleasant visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. M. Archdison of West Third street has returned from a stay of several days in Cincinnati.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell Jones of Ashland are guests of the families of Masers, W. E. and Eli Ponge at Maysville.

Mrs. B. R. Wilson and Miss Blanche Wilson have returned to their home at Aberdeen, after a visit to Mr. M. O. Wilson and family at Vanceburg.

Hamburgs awful cheap. New York Store.

The venerable Mrs. Eliza Johnson of Lee street continues very ill. It might be well for the Ladies' Missionary Society to call at her home and investigate as to her needs.

Danger of a flood in the Ohio river has evidently gone glimmering, for this year at least, as the water is not expected to reach the danger line, and at this point will not go much beyond the 43-foot stage, if even that far.

When finished, the storeroom in the K. of P. Building in West Second street will be one of the finest and most desirable of any in the city.

## DEPLORABLE ACCIDENT

Young Man Steps in Front of a C. and O. Freight Train and Both Lower Limbs Are Crushed

Last evening between 5 and 6 o'clock, John Johnson, a night hand at the coal docks, while on his way to work, and when near the lower brick yard, was run down by an Eastbound C. and O. freight train, his legs being crushed and mangled in a horrible manner.

The unfortunate young man was aware of the approach of the train, but was deceived as to which track it was on, and instead of stepping out of danger he stepped right in front of the rapidly moving train.

Johnson, who is about 24 years old, is spoken of as a most worthy and exemplary young man, being the mainstay and support of his father and mother and several children residing in Oklahoma, South of Forest avenue. He had been employed at the docks for years, and was considered a most valuable hand.

Dr. A. O. Taylor, Company Surgeon, assisted by Dr. W. H. Tinslee, amputated both legs below the knee, and while Johnson bravely stood the operation, his chances for recovery are considered decidedly slim.

Talking machines and records at Gerbrich's.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa H. Dawson of Portsmouth are shortly to take up their residence in Lexington, in which city Mr. Dawson makes his headquarters while traveling.

So far sixty Sheriffs have settled in jail with Auditor James for their taxes, with fifty-nine more to hear from.

Rev. H. H. Moore has resigned the Pastorate of the Christian Church at Vanceburg to accept a call at Earlinton.

A marriage license was granted at Vanceburg the past week to Isaac W. Smith, aged 37, and Ella Jane Evans, aged 14.

Eli Ponge bought a few days ago of Ben Longnecker ten acres of land one-fourth a mile from Maysville for \$350 per acre.

Cartmel's extract of salt without pain

Rev. R. T. Zimmerman, aged 80 years, for 60 years a Minister, died in Bath county. He had married over 3,000 couples and baptized over 5,000 people. He was a Mexican and Civil War veteran.

## THE LINENS

Still hold court throughout the store. Continued bad weather has made shopping so difficult we will extend our sale a few days longer. Come in.

## New Dress Goods and Trimmings

Some beautiful shadow stripes in soliel, satin cloth and prunella. All the new spring shades, wistaria, taupe, pastel green, canard blue, raspberry and smoke. \$1 yard. In Trimmings there is a large assortment of match bandings in embroidered and applique nets and Persian nets. 15c to 85c yard. Also gilt all-over with band trimming to match, and gilt-and-silver banding. In trimmings of every quality and price a very broad assortment.

## The Embroideries

Offer some splendid values. A great many

handsome insertions and edges were soiled from use in display during a sale last month and marked reductions are the consequence. Variety too great for detail---you must see it.

## Bead Collars

A dainty conceit just received. Useful and ornamental. In jet, turquoise, green jade, 50c. In pearl 98c. Bead necklaces, amber, green, wine, blue and jet reduced from 50c to 25c. A few gold plated bracelets 25c reduced from \$1.

## Samples of Red Damask

For lunch baskets, children's napkins and bibs, 10c dozen.

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HUNT'S

1909

Monuments: Murray & Thomas.

Mrs. Richard Anderson, formerly Miss Lattie Reespe of this city, who has been ill with nervous prostration the past five weeks at St. Joseph's Hospital, Lexington, has recovered sufficiently to be able to leave the institution.

Rev. J. W. Troy of Madison, N. J., has been extended a call to the Christian Church at Augusta.

Mrs. Rachael Power, mother of Mr. Theo. Power of Farnleaf, died the past week at her home at Brooksville, aged 78.

Anti-Grippine for coughs and colds at Sallie Wood's Drugstore.

Mr. William F. Talbert and Miss Lilly Burton of Carlisle were married at Cincinnati Wednesday. Mr. Talbert is 55 years of age. His bride is ten years his junior.



SAVE  
GLOBE STAMPS.  
Some very interesting news later. Just wait and save.  
Globe Stamp Co.

## New Embroideries and Laces

Such a showing never made in Maysville before. Over 400 distinct styles, a stock that would do justice to any city five times the size of Maysville. Every pattern imaginable and suitable for any special style of dress. The handsome Convent Embroideries are entirely different from the regular embroideries. It would, indeed, take an expert to tell them from the hand-made.

## Fancy NETS, ALL-OVERS, BANDS

Are among the new arrivals. Beautiful, with all its synonyms, would not describe them, as you must, indeed, see them to appreciate them.

MERZ BROS.

## OUR ORANGE SALE

Will be on Friday and Saturday. Prices about as usual.

DRESSED HENS, FANCY LETTUCE  
and CELERY.

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"America's Winter Playground."

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., February 15th, 1909.

The weather-man is behaving much better, although we are having occasional "so'-son'-westers," veering to "son'-easters." Ain't it wonderful how soon a fellow begins to speak learnedly of the sea after he has sucked



in a little salt air—it's so different from the "hot air" one hears occasionally at home. The outlook now is for an out-door climate, and a discard of winter wraps.

Yesterday curiosity more perhaps than religion led me to the Memorial Church, Presbyterian, one of the show-places of this old town. In all the world it has not its counterpart. Built in the shape of a cross, the cruciform likeness is preserved in the auditorium, the organ loft and rostrum forming the apex of the cross, with seats stretching at right angles North, East and South to complete the figure. The heavy railings which hide the choir from view, the pulpit and the pews, beautiful and impressive in their massiveness, are all of solid mahogany. Inlaid into pulpit front is this inscription:

This Church was erected by Henry M. Flagler, in loving remembrance of his daughter, Jennie Louise Benedict, who died March 25th, A. D. 1889.

Throughout the building are memorial windows and inscriptions, testifying a father's love and his faith in the Blessed Redeemer. At the Southwest angle of the Church, and forming part of the building, is the daughter's mausoleum. Aside from interest in the unique memorial, I heard a most able sermon on Abraham's Faith—an old, old story, but which was dressed in a

new spring suit by the eloquent young Pastor—James Coffin Stout.

Having been good in the morning, thought I'd "do" the Ponce concert in the evening; so I wound my way through the palm gardens, past flowing fountains and liveried lackeys, and finally reached the rotunda in safety. Here, within a limited space, the goats are permitted to gaze upon the sheep, but not to rub up against them—for all of which the goats ought to be grateful.

I told you in a former letter that the rates at the Ponce—it's Ponce de Leon, but ink is scarce and I'll call it Ponce for short—were \$5 per day up—mostly up. Since then I've been told that one can count on the fingers of one hand all the "\$5 per" rooms in the house. These are probably reserved for the snobs who come down here to get their names in the list of arrivals at the Ponce, stay a few days, write letters to their best silly girls on Ponce stationery—and then go back home and chawlliver for six months to come. Leaving the \$5 per day rooms, the scale ascends quite rapidly, reaching by quick jumps from \$25 to \$100 per day, the latter recently charged to a Preacher for himself, wife and daughter, occupying two rooms! A Preacher! Just think of that! Tell Bro. Harrop to come down, bring his family and enjoy a few days at \$100 per!

If I knew that Parson, I'd feel very much like telling him what Fighting Bob Evans told the New York "nab." Bob entered an ultra fashionable Church in Gotham and was shown by the usher to a desirable pew. Later the owner appeared, and finding some one ahead of him, sent a note to the intruder—

"Sir: I pay \$1,000 a year for the privilege of occupying this pew."

Evans read the note, pulled his pencil and wrote beneath it—

"Sir: You pay too damned much."

And Fighting Bob was permitted to enjoy the pew alone.

Yes; these Ponce people pay too damned much, especially when they split hairs with the toilers who produce the wealth they are squandering. Little wonder that Anarchists are growing up around us.

If I'm able to judge, the majority of the people I saw there belong to the suddenly "new rich," and one old dame who seemed to have been struck with a regular diarrhea of diamonds—she had one that would have made a headlight for the "F. F. V."—looked as though she might have been the inheritor of a fortune made by selling shoddy for Uncle Sam's soldiers during the Civil War.

Lincoln was philosophic when he said "the Lord must love the common people—he made so many of them." Thank the Lord, I am one of the common people.

Thomas A. Dwyer

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SPECIAL Waist on Solesette, with embroidery floss to work, \$1. Corset Covers on linen, with floss to work, \$1. Roman and Filo Silks.

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Of any other house in Maysville. Come and see stock.

M. F. COUGHLIN & CO. FOR FINE LIVERY TURNOUTS UNDERTAKING AND EMBALMING.

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WORK

SHOES

They are made of first class material and by experienced workmen. They are the kind that wear well and are satisfactory to the feet.

J. HENRY

PECOR

Her Figure is Trim, Her Form Sublime

The actress looked delectable, though the play had been pronounced a fiasco by the critics. "It's got to succeed," she explained, "and for that reason I'm not nervous. Last season I played seven new parts and I burned a lot of good coin for costumes. This season I am radiating with health. My form is ideally proportioned. I took the Marmola Prescription to get this sublime figure, and a woman's figure cannot be nearer perfection than what Marmola has made of me. A doctor friend of mine gave me the prescription. He's a brick. It's so simple: Just get at any drugstore 1 ounce Marmola, 1 ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic and 31 ounces Peppermint Water and take a teaspoonful after meals and at bed time. Now I have the strength, enthusiasm and power of a dozen stars. I tell you I am going to be it!" With this the leading lady bowed the reporter out, calling after him, "If you have any lady friends tell them about Marmola, but impress upon them that there are cheap substitutes on the market that do not do the work." Marmola Co., Detroit, Mich.

Latest News

Rain and cooler are the weather predictions for today.

Banker Ramsey was convicted of bribery at Pittsburgh.

February expected to be the dulllest month in steel business in years.

Harry C. Pulliam, the baseball manager and magnate, has collapsed from overwork and worry.

Senators LaFollette of Wisconsin and Penrose of Pennsylvania had a clash in the Senate yesterday.

No blame is fixed by the Coroner's Jury for the crib fire at Chicago, in which sixty-six lives were lost.

Judge Taft was made a Mason at eight—no initiation—at Cincinnati yesterday afternoon at 9 o'clock.

The combined American fleets are now near Cape Henry, and the world-cruise will be completed tomorrow.

Sentiment in favor of the immediate creation of a permanent Tariff Commission was voiced at the Indianapolis conference.

Iron Age says question of making radical reductions all along the line, with exception of steel rails, is being given very serious consideration.

Three persons were burned to death and four fatally injured by an explosion of a keg of mining powder in a coal miner's home near Colliers, W. Va.

Carroll D. Wright, former Commissioner of Labor, is critically ill at Worcester, Mass. He is suffering from a mental and physical breakdown.

Near Williamsburg, Lazarus Summer, a farmer, was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of Carrie Goins, a twelve-year-old girl.

In the trial of Colonel Cooper and his son, Robin, at Nashville, for the murder of Carmack, some damaging evidence has been given against the accused, and it is a clear case of murder in the first degree.

The steamer We Three, operating in the trade between Hartford and Evansville, was destroyed by fire at Spottsville, Ky. The loss, including the boat and its tonnage, is about \$15,000, with no insurance.

At St. Louis, a decree of divorce, with alimony of \$6,000 a year and the custody of her son, was awarded Mrs. William J. Lemp, Jr. The decision followed a sensational trial which lasted more than a week and closed Tuesday last.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Feb. 18th.—The Republican State Central Committee at its meeting in Louisville today turned down, by a unanimous vote, the code of rules governing the polling of conventions in cities of the first and second classes, presented by the sub-committee, which were known as the Bradley rules. The opponents of the measure claim that the "Bradley" was merely an attempt to "go back" to the Republican party in Kentucky.

Spring Goods

Come and see them. New Mattings, new Carpets, new Draperies, new White Goods, new Laces and Hamburgs. Remember, a beautiful present with a \$5 purchase.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY.

20 pieces Hamburg, 8c quality, our price 5c.  
20 pieces Hamburg, 15c quality, our price 10c.  
20 pieces Hamburg, 20c quality, our price 12 1/2c.

Ladies' Petticoats, in black and colors, reduced from 89c to 49c.  
5 dozen Ladies' fine Heatherbloom Petticoats, in black and colors, reduced from \$3 to \$1.00; see them.  
New Porticoes, yard wide, with border, only 10c.  
New Waists, beautiful styles, long sleeves, all sizes, 98c and \$1.25, regular \$2 values.  
P. 5-28 pieces heavy yard-wide Muslin 5c. Starchless bleached 5c. Ladies' fine Shoes only 98c and \$1.25. Men's good quality Shoes \$1.25 and \$1.49. Men's fine Dress Shirts 49c. 100 pieces fine Dress Gingham, in stripes and solid colors, only 5c.

New York Store.

S. STRAUS, Proprietor.

FURNITURE

Investigate the unequalled values we are offering in all departments. You'll be delighted with the completeness of the assortment, the beauty of the styles and patterns, but you can't begin to appreciate our Furniture from the advertisements.

SEE THE STOCK FOR YOURSELF

We lead all in Quality, Quantity and Low Prices.

CASH OR CREDIT

We are now carrying the new Duostyle Dining Table, which is constructed of the most beautifully grained quartered oak and is very highly polished, a sample of which may be found in our West Window.

BRISBOIS & DIENER

PROPRIETORS, West Second Street.

The snow blockade still prevails in the lake region, which is suffering from demoralized communication and interrupted traffic.

Dr. E. L. Powell of Louisville will make the principal address at the annual banquet of the Kentucky Society in St. Louis to be held the first week in March.

Colonel Thomas Winter has been laid up at his home in Court street the past fifteen days, suffering with an aggravating and severe attack of rheumatism.

Captain Nathan Parker, probably the oldest steamboatman on the Ohio and Mississippi rivers, died Tuesday at the Old Men's Home, Cincinnati, in his eighty-sixth year.

"Old Time," "Limestone" and "Van Hook" Whiskies, bottled in bond, at 85 cents per quart.

O. H. P. THOMAS & CO.

The American Shorthorn Breeders' Association has donated \$500, the American Aberdeen Angus Breeders' Association \$200 and the American Hereford Breeders' Association \$250 as premiums at the Bluegrass Fair to be held at Lexington this summer.

A Switzer, the Third street shoemaker, was called to Cincinnati yesterday, owing to the critical condition of his son-in-law, George Smeltley, who is suffering from injuries sustained from a fall off a building on which he was employed as a workman.

Both candidates in the Circuit Judgeship race, Judge Newell and Judge Harrison, are in Bracken county, where the woods are politically afire, directing and lining up their respective forces for the final combat on the 24th. Reports coming from that neck of the woods say that Bracken county never before experienced such a strenuous contest as is now on.

After the C. and O. wrecking crew from Covington arrived here yesterday afternoon it required but a short time for them to right matters by lifting the heavily laden coal car from its derailed position at the intersection of the L. and N. track and place it upon the rails. The slight mishap was trivial and was one of those accidents which just happens, as the yard crew is as capable a set of men as any officials can be. Yardmaster Sproemberg is a cool-headed individual and very careful, and aside from his capability as an experienced railroad man, has the backing of the whole clientele of the C. and O. Railroad in this community for ability, promptness and accommodation.

Hundreds of thousands of people use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea as a family tonic. If taken this month it will keep the family well all spring. If it fails get your money back. 35 cents. Thos. J. Chouinell.

Go to the New York Store tomorrow.

A Regimental Band is to be organized at Caledonia, Ky.

The total public gifts and bequests for 1908 were smaller than 1907, but the amount reached \$90,452,000.

Limestone Lodge No. 36, K. of P. will have seven candidates for the 3rd rank tonight. All members of the team please be present.

\$20,000 DAMAGES

Asked for Services of Man Killed by Asylum Inmate

A suit for \$20,000 has been filed against Matt Young, an inmate of the Insane Asylum at Lexington, by Mrs. Heuler Young and daughters of Jessamine county, who charge that Young killed their husband and father, Deputy Sheriff Logan Young, Christmas.

They charge the loss of his service was worth that much to them.

Sheriff Young was trying to arrest Matt Young when slain.



Gage marks 37 1 and rising.

COUNTRY PRODUCE

Today's Quotations By E. L. Manchester, Keystone Commercial Co.

Priced, noted at 9 o'clock this morning—  
Hens, W. B. 150  
Turkeys, P. B. 150  
Butter, per lb. 150  
Eggs, per dozen 200

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The Washington Theater! MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22

Mme. Caroline Rieder Bohmer Soprano

Miss Mary Dennison Gailey Violiniste.

Miss Gladys Shailer Planiste.

Admission--50c, 35c and 25c. Seats at Williams' Drugstore Friday morning.

John W. Vogel's Big City Minstrels March 1st, 1909.



## Cabin of Little Abe Becomes Nation's Shrine

Being a Baited Story  
of the Editor's Trip  
to Lincoln's  
Centenary

A homely hero born of star and sod;  
A peasant Prince; a masterpiece of God.  
While other places throughout the world  
were holding Lincoln celebrations last Friday,  
February 12th, yet the only real, genuine cen-  
tenary exercises took place at the birthplace  
of the great patriot at the "Lincoln Farm" in  
Larue county on that memorable day. The  
scene was one of the most impressive and ap-  
propriate ever witnessed in any country, and  
marked a new era in the annals of this State  
which gave Abraham Lincoln to the world.  
In thousands of cities and places in the  
United States the Lincoln centenary cere-  
monies permitted thousands of persons the op-  
portunity to pose and orate and to theatrically  
glorify in exploiting the history and the vir-  
tues of one of the purest and most eminent of  
all Americans. But at the humble log cabin  
where little Abe Lincoln first saw the light of  
day there were gathered together six thousand  
people from every sphere of citizenship to do  
honor to the only American who, by destiny  
and noble achievement, is entitled to rank with  
George Washington in the galaxy of exalted  
American patriotism, wisdom and human en-  
deavor.  
George Washington was the father and  
founder of his country.  
Abraham Lincoln was the architect of the  
indissoluble Union of the United States, and his  
martyr-blood will forever hallow the sacred  
altars of American Liberty.  
Thus the humble log cabin in which Lincoln  
was born became the second National shrine  
of American patriotism, dividing honors with  
Mt. Vernon, the stately home of Washington.  
The place of Lincoln's nativity is swathed  
about in all the rustic poverty of the humblest  
of nature's settings. One cannot picture a  
more humble spot than that occupied by the  
lonely cabin home of Thomas and Nancy Hanks  
Lincoln, near Hodgenville. It is lonely now.  
What must it have been a hundred years ago  
when little Abe was born? In the center of  
Kentucky, on a small eminence, in the then

trackless forest, dwelt the parent-pioneers who  
gave a real hero to the world.  
Although the Lincoln Farm is poor, it is  
lovely and famously designated as  
"The Farm That Raised a Man."  
While the Lincoln birthplace is in the very  
poorest yellow soil section of Larue county,  
yet the Farm is prettily situated. The land is  
rolling and has a rustic picturesque quality and  
a poverty of adornment, except a lone-  
some garniture of scrubby evergreen cedars  
here and there peculiar to the poorest sections  
of Kentucky.  
Here in the very arms of nature Lincoln was  
born and lived for nearly seven years. That lo-  
cality is rich and ripe with "Lincoln stories,"  
and one could write a volume of the folklore  
dealt out to him by many of the native as-  
sembled around the cabin last Friday.  
The occasion was one long to be remembered  
and to our mind was without a parallel in this  
country. Hodgenville, the county seat of Larue  
county, is three miles from the Lincoln  
Farm, and is a modest little city of a  
thousand people. Its public square encloses  
a County Courthouse of no pretensions to  
architectural beauty; the streets are muddy  
thoroughfares, but there are some nice homes  
and some new concrete pavements. It has a  
"County Fair," and, with the Lincoln Farm to  
make it famous, henceforth Hodgenville  
(which should be called "Lincoln") is to domi-  
nate the entire map of that remote section.  
The land around Hodgenville is rolling and lay-  
sle and the country seems prosperous. They  
raise stock and grain, but grow very little to-  
bacco.  
The "Lincoln Farm," in its present state of  
cultivation, grows corn and squashes, but as it

produced "A Man"—that is enough. Outside  
of its sentimental value, the farm is worth  
about \$15 per acre, although the land adja-  
cent is worth from \$25 to \$50 per acre.  
Hodgenville is 42 miles from Louisville by  
the L. and N. and is 11 miles from Elizabeth-  
town by the branch line railroad that gives it  
steam connection with the world. The little  
railroad last Friday was given its maximum  
test and handled about 4,000 people without  
incident or accident, except the slow motion  
of pulling up grade and a broken rail, which  
delayed the train's returning for over an hour  
at Toneyville, half way between E-town and  
Hodgenville. The train of President Roose-  
velt and the Collier-Mackay special were both  
on the sidetrack at Hodgenville. The big  
crowd and the celebrities were conveyed over  
the muddy highway in vehicles to the Farm,  
three miles. There was not a single automo-  
bile at the door. The ceremonies began at 1  
o'clock under the canvas tent add the tempo-  
rary wooden structure built especially for the  
occasion, right by the side of the Lincoln  
cabin, which is to be housed and sheltered in  
a magnificent pink granite, lofty and fireproof  
building which is to form the Lincoln Shrine  
and Temple of Liberty for years to come. The  
log cabin, which had been removed years ago  
from its original site and conveyed about the  
country, was taken back and rebuilt on the ex-  
act spot it formerly occupied. Through the  
patriotic munificence of Mr. Robert J. Collier,  
publisher of Collier's Weekly, the Lincoln Farm  
of 110 acres, together with the cabin and the  
\$150,000 Memorial Temple is to be the perpe-  
tual property of the Lincoln Farm Association, as  
a public gift to the American people. Mr.  
Collier was there in person last Friday direct-  
ing the simple, but inspiring ceremonies, and  
it is but just to remark that to Mr. Collier be-  
longs the credit of having this enduring Na-  
tional Monument and shrine erected in Ken-  
tucky. The memorial is to be completed within  
a year and is to be fittingly dedicated by Presi-  
dent Taft.  
There is no inspiring lake, river or stream  
of water near the Lincoln Farm, but there is  
a fine and wonderful spring only sixty yards  
below the cabin that affords a continuous  
stream of pure water. This "rock spring" was  
the Mecca of all visitors, and down under a  
natural shelf of rock the people drank at the  
stream that at one time quenched the thirst of  
the little boy whose fame today rings through-  
out the world. It is said that a distillery  
would have been erected near this spring if  
Mr. Collier had not "seen it first," purchased  
it and given it to Kentucky.  
With President Roosevelt as the honor guest  
and the principal speaker, the ceremonies be-  
gan about 1 p. m. Seated on the platform  
around the President were the many celeb-  
rities. Mrs. Roosevelt and daughter, Miss  
Ethel, were seated by the President's side, and  
Mrs. Willson, wife of the Governor, was also  
present.  
"The Man from Mayeville" was very much  
in evidence in the persons of Governor A. E.  
Willson, Lieutenant-Governor W. H. Cox, Mr.  
Hamlet C. Sharp, while on the honor platform  
were Dr. William Bowman and Captain Charles  
C. Degman of our neighborhood, who were two  
of the twelve special G. A. R. guards and  
twelve Confederates who formed the Presi-  
dential escort. In the crowd also were Mr.  
and Mrs. P. H. King, Charles E. Curran and  
the Editor of THE PUBLIC LEDGER, all of May-  
sville, and Judge George W. Dye of the county.  
Besides, the ceremonies were opened with an  
eloquent prayer by that distinguished divine,  
the Rev. E. L. Powell, formerly of Mayeville,  
and now the popular Pastor of the First Chris-  
tian Church, Louisville.  
The speeches of Governor Willson of Ken-  
tucky, Governor Folk of Missouri, President  
of the Lincoln Farm Association, President  
Roosevelt, Secretary of War Wright and Sec-  
retary of Agriculture Willson were words  
of timely import and eloquence.  
The address of President Roosevelt was one  
of the most earnest and eloquent tributes ever  
paid to the memory of the great President.  
Of all men Theodore Roosevelt was the proper  
person to dedicate the noble shrine to be  
erected to Abraham Lincoln. It was expected  
that Mr. Roosevelt's Lincoln day speech would  
be principally devoted to a scathing denunc-  
iation of his enemies, but the President devoted  
his remarks to the great subject matter of  
the day and was in his most radiant and beam-  
ing mood.  
It was a treat to listen to the heartfelt  
words of Theodore Roosevelt. It was the  
voice of the greatest living American patriot  
uttering a burning and truthful eulogy of Lin-  
coln, the greatest of all Americans save George  
Washington.  
Paralleling Washington and Lincoln, Mr.  
Roosevelt said:  
"In all the history of mankind there have  
never been two god men as great nor two  
great men as good."  
LINCOLN'S PROPHECY  
Lincoln's ability to foresee events far in the  
future and to keep the balance between the  
extremes of radicalism and the extremists of  
reaction brought him the President's highest  
praise. He had a life toward the future of  
the visionary, but without the seer's egotism.  
Likewise he carried on his work with the  
soundest common sense. Comparing Wash-

## CHRONIC COUGH

Mr. Gray of Elwood, Ind.,  
Declares Vinol Cured His  
Daughter's Chronic Cough  
After All Other Means Had  
Failed.

SAYS SHE OWES LIFE TO VINOL

"My fourteen-year-old daughter had a very  
bad cough, was weak, emaciated and had no  
appetite. Two of our best physicians had  
done her no good. On advice I procured for  
her a bottle of Vinol and she soon began to  
improve. She continued until she had taken  
several bottles of it, and she has completely  
recovered her health.

"We undoubtedly owe her life to Vinol, as I  
am certain that if it had not been for it she  
would have been dead ere this. We never  
miss the opportunity of saying a good word  
for Vinol."—James Gray, Elwood, Ind.

Many cases like the above are constantly  
coming to our attention where this cod-liver-  
and-iron preparation, Vinol, has cured chronic  
coughs, colds and bronchitis and built up  
health and strength for old people, delicate  
children, run-down, weak and debilitated peo-  
ple after all other means had failed.

Try Vinol. If it does you no good we will  
return your money. That's your guarantee,  
but we know it will benefit you.

JOHN C. PEJOR, Druggist, Mayeville.

ington to Lincoln again, he said that while the  
Virginia landed gentleman and the Kentucky  
rail-splitter differed widely in externals, they  
were alike in essentials. "Each possessed in-  
flexible courage in adversity," he said, "and a  
soul wholly unspoiled by prosperity."

The President compared the problems of the  
present day, social and industrial, with those  
that confronted Lincoln and said that Lincoln's  
methods furnished a guide for the men who  
are today striving for reform. The most won-  
derful thing of all connected with Lincoln, he  
said, was the way in which he could fight val-  
iantly against what he considered wrong and  
yet preserve undiminished his love and respect  
for the brother from whom he differed. He  
saw clearly that the same courage and willing-  
ness for self sacrifice and devotion to the  
right as it was given to them to see the right,  
belonged both to the men of the North and the  
men of the South.

The address of the grizzled old Confederate  
veteran, General Luke E. Wright, voiced the  
Southern tribute of praise for Lincoln as the  
South's best friend. He declared that it was  
for the best that the Union was preserved and  
that slavery was suppressed.

Then the band played "Dixie" and the crowd  
went wild.

Then the President laid the corner-stone of  
the Lincoln Memorial Temple and the impres-  
sive ceremonies were ended. It was a sig-  
nificant fact that the corner-stone was lower-  
ed into its place by a Negro man, and the tab-  
leau was complete and peculiarly appropriate  
to the man who freed 5,000,000 Negro slaves.

Among the sights witnessed at the Farm  
was the five miles of vehicles of every kind  
which were on hand to convey the 6,000  
people. It cost a dollar the round trip of  
3 miles from Hodgenville to the Lincoln Farm,  
and many of the country people made money  
from the event.

All the school days that Lincoln ever passed  
were in a little log cabin school house two  
miles from his home. His teacher was  
Zachariah Eisey, who was Lincoln's first and  
only instructor. The little school house is still  
in existence and is now used as a corn crib by  
a Larue county farmer.

While at the Farm, we were told that "Little  
Abe" had several narrow escapes from death:

Once he was kicked on the head by his  
father's little old mule, and the party remarked  
that the future President was "unconscious for  
three weeks." Another time Abe fell in Roll-  
ing Fork creek and was pulled out half drowned  
by a neighbor. So it will be seen that Abra-  
ham had all sorts of narrow escapes as well as  
poverty, privations and hardships. As Mr.  
Roosevelt said, "He never knew pleasure, but  
pain." His career was as sad as it was great,  
and in all the world's history we find no equal  
to the life of the little ragged boy, who, seem-  
ingly the child of destiny, reached the imperi-  
al height of fame through such a record of unfa-  
vorable circumstances and conditions as eclipses  
the most vivid narrative of fiction. Seven  
childhood years in his humble Kentucky home,  
then to Indiana where toil and privation and  
the death of his good mother occurred; thence  
to Illinois where his wonderful political career  
began, which ended in his death in a brilliant  
Washington theater, at the very climax of his  
fame, by the hand of a frenzied assassin.

Thus closes the life of the "rail-splitter," whose  
self-attained knowledge grew to be inspired  
and almost supernatural. His knowledge of  
men and statecraft were intuitive, and his vision  
that of a political seer.

What a lesson and moral can be drawn from  
the man whose origin and parentage were as  
humble as that of Jesus. Both the son of a  
carpenter, one born in a manger, the other in  
a cabin, as poor and humble as the manger.  
"Seven Babylon cities arise for Homer dead,  
where living Homer begged his daily bread."  
Lincoln at one time was little better than a  
river rafter, a fisherman and a vagabond.



## George Washington's Bedroom

Was never decorated with such wallpapers as the  
simplest room of today shows when papered with  
an inexpensive, dainty and Frenchy effect, as is  
shown at this time. Washington's Birthday will  
remind you that housecleaning time is near, so we  
beg to announce to our patrons and prospective  
ones that we handle

## Wallpaper and Paints

Of all kinds. Floor Oil 35c per gallon. Big 4 and  
Mica Axle Grease 5c per box. Respectfully,

## The RYDER PAINT STORE,

MAYSVILLE, KY.

1869—1909.

REAL

## Lumber.

In 40 years we have had no better stock—  
Weather-Boarding, Flooring, Ceiling, Shingles  
and Piece Stuff. We do not deal in  
"promises," "prospects" or "propositions."

W. B. MATHEWS & CO.

## Make the Old Cow Smile

Feed her **SUCRENE DAIRY FEED.** It is the  
greatest milk producer.

J. C. EVERETT & CO.

## WE HAVE IN STOCK

Balmwort,  
Pinex,  
Lexonics,  
Toris Compound,

Cordial,  
Kargen,  
Virgin Oil of Pine,  
Diapelsin.

Cademen  
Citrox,  
Alpen Seal.

You have seen these advertised in the paper at various times. We  
can fill them any time for you.

M. F. WILLIAMS & CO.

THIRD STREET  
DRUG STORE.

## Unusual Bargains In Women's Patent Leather Shoes.

In going through our stock we have taken all our odds and ends in  
Patent Leather Shoes and have placed them on a "Cheap Table."

\$3, \$4 and \$5 SHOES, to make  
them go  
we are going to sell them for **\$1.99**

See our window for the biggest bargains of the season.

## BARKLEY'S SHOE STORE

## THE STATE NATIONAL BANK

MAYSVILLE, KY.

Capital . . . . . \$100,000

Surplus and Profits . . . . . \$30,000

Designated Depository for the U. S. Treasury, State of  
Kentucky and Mason County.

SOLICITS A SHARE OF YOUR BUSINESS.

Conservative. Courteous. Safe.

## Lovel's Specials

SPOT  
CASH  
ONLY

This week I am going  
to give the trade a **PIE SPECIAL**

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|--|----------|
| 2 Cans Standard Blackberries . . . . . | 15 cents |
| 2 Cans Standard Raspberries . . . . .  | 15 cents |
| 2 Cans Standard Gooseberries . . . . . | 15 cents |
| 2 Cans Standard Strawberries . . . . . | 15 cents |
| 2 Cans Standard Pie-Peaches . . . . .  | 15 cents |
| 2 Cans Standard Apples . . . . .       | 15 cents |
| 2 Cans Standard Pumpkin . . . . .      | 15 cents |

All regular 10c goods. And again this week I am going to sell

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|--|----------|
| 2 Cans Best Tomatoes . . . . .             | 15 cents |
| 2 Cans Pride of Bloomington Corn . . . . . | 15 cents |
| 1 Gallon Fancy New Crop Molasses . . . . . | 48 cents |

Persons who may want to take advantage of these exceptionally low  
prices and lay in a supply will be privileged to buy as much as they may  
want at prices named.

ALSO THIS WEEK

Persons who purchase as much as \$2 worth of the above-named Canned  
Goods as one time will be entitled to one 25-pound sack of Havemeyer's  
Granulated Sugar for one dollar and twenty-five cents, ONLY FIVE CENTS  
PER POUND.

MORE TO COME.

## R. B. LOVEL, The Leading Grocer

TELEPHONE 83.

New Waits. New York Store.

County Attorney Thomas D. Slattery was  
confined to his bed all day yesterday, suffering  
with a bad cold.

Mr. James H. Gross, the genial steward of  
the steamer Courier, has been laid off the boat  
for several days on account of the death of  
his sister.

Captain Alec Calhoun of Market street,  
who has been sick with typhoid fever for the  
past four weeks, is improving nicely and is  
able to sit up.

In the County Court yesterday Rev. Roger  
L. Clark, Pastor of the Christian Church, this  
city, was granted license to solemnize mar-  
riages, with George H. Frank surety on bond.



THROCKMORTON—SCHRUGGS.

Mr. William Throckmorton, aged 21, and  
Miss Elizabeth Schruggs, aged 24, both of  
Fleming county, were married in this city yester-  
day.

BEAN—WEBSTER

Mr. Frank Bean, aged 23, and Miss Cora  
Webster, aged 18, both of Mason county, were  
married in the County Clerk's office yesterday.

"FRAUDS UPON THE PUBLIC"

Is what some physicians have called patent  
medicine, and it is undeniably true that some  
are frauds and some are even worse, because  
they are injurious. On the other hand, there  
are many patent medicines, such as Lydia E.  
Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and others,  
which are of real worth and are recommended  
by physicians of recognized standing.

SURE CURE

For Hog Cholera is Claim Made For  
New Serum

Commissioner of Agriculture Rankin an-  
nounces that a serum has been discovered at  
the Experiment Station at Lexington that will  
be a preventative and positive cure for hog  
cholera.

A conference between Mr. Rankin and Prof.  
M. A. Scoville of the Experiment Station was  
held Tuesday for the purpose of providing the  
serum to the hog raisers of this State free of  
cost, and while failing in this purpose it was  
arranged to supply it at a cost of 30 cents a  
hog.

The medicine has been given a complete  
test, and it has not failed in at



## AN EXPERIMENT FOR YOU

Try the experiment of spending "too much" time and thought on your clothes for awhile. Not "too much" money, for the time and thought will perhaps really save you money. Just take the above advice, and it will result in your becoming a patron of this store, especially at this time, when special prices are being made on Overcoats, Cravens and Suits, not excepting blues and blacks.

**\$12.50 Ones Now \$8.75.**  
**\$15.00 Ones Now \$10.50.**  
**\$18.00 Ones Now \$12.50.**  
**\$20.00 Ones Now \$15.00.**

**GEO. H. FRANK & CO.**

**PUBLIC LEADER**  
MAYSVILLE, KY.

Get a present. New York Store.

The Taft Band Benefit at Scott's M. E. Church Sat. Come and see the boys. Admission cents. GEO. H. JACKSON, Manager.

At the Rink last night Miss Lena Walsh and brother, Ones, won first prize, \$10 in gold. They represented Highland Laid and Lassie. Miss Ada Porter won \$2.50 in gold as Snake Charmer and Dugan Dunn \$2.50 in gold as a Bat. The prize winners were costumed in paper and their get-ups were marvels of artistic skill.



D. F. FRAZEE.

Mr. David F. Frazee, President of the Phoenix National Bank, for years one of the largest stockholders in the Phoenix Hotel Company, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of State University, member of the Board of Education for a long time and one of the wealthiest and best known citizens of Lexington, died at noon Thursday at his home, 323 North Broadway, after an illness of several months.

Death was due to cancer of the stomach.

He was 63 years old and is survived by his wife, Mrs. Lucia Robertson Frazee, but no children. Other surviving relatives are two sisters—Mrs. Angeline Rogers of Lexington and Mrs. John W. Osborne of Dover—and a brother, Samuel A. Frazee, also of near Dover.

Mr. Frazee went to Lexington about twenty years ago to permanently reside. He was successful in business and during his active career was engaged in a number of large enterprises, being a leading stockholder in the Phoenix National Bank, the Phoenix Hotel, and farming on an extensive scale at his large farm in Fayette county.

He was a public-spirited, progressive citizen and his death will be a distinct loss to the community.

Deceased was born near Germantown and was a son of the late Samuel Frazee. He made a fortune in the Middleboro boom.

Dr. John M. Frazee of this city and D. C. Frazee of Lexington are cousins of deceased.

The funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock at the residence on North Broadway. The burial will be in the Lexington Cemetery. The Rev. Mark Collins, Pastor of the Broadway Christian Church, will officiate in the absence of Dr. I. J. Spencer, the Pastor of the Central Christian Church, of which congregation Mr. Frazee was a devoted member.

The active pall-bearers will be Mr. D. C. Frazee, Judge Matthew Walton, Mr. Joseph F. Walton, Dr. David Barrow, Dr. H. H. Roberts, Mr. J. Waller Rodes, Professor M. A. Scovell and Professor E. L. Gillis.

## OLD VET'S MISTAKE

### Lost Pension Through Fake Patent Medicine Indorsement

Flemingsburg Times-Democrat.

A very amusing story is told of a certain U. S. pensioner of this county whose name we will not give. He had secured a liberal pension from the Government because he was afflicted with a disease he claimed was brought on by service in the Army. Some time after securing his pension he gave a testimonial to a patent medicine fakir, stating that he had been entirely cured of this disease by the nostrum prepared by the aforesaid fakir.

Mr. Patent Medicine Man printed this testimonial, together with a picture of the pensioner, in an alleged almanac. The attention of the Pension Bureau was called to the case, and as he no longer suffered from the ailment for which the pension was granted they discontinued it.

At once, a relapse set up and the veteran suffered terribly from the old malady. But it was about a year before he could get back on Uncle Sam's list.

Now if a patent medicine fakir comes to see this veteran he will hear some things not pleasant to the polite ear.

### A SIMPLE QUESTION.

Maysville People Are Requested to Honestly Answer This.

Is not the word of a representative citizen of Maysville more convincing than the doubtful utterances of people living everywhere else in the Union? Read this:

Mrs. Della Means, 328 East Front street, Maysville, Ky., says:

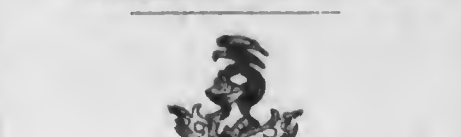
"About seven years ago kidney trouble made its appearance in my case, the first symptom being a sharp pain through my kidneys, accompanied by a hearing-down feeling across my hips and loins. Dull, miserable headaches soon began to bother me, and I often became so dizzy that if I did not catch hold of something I would have fallen. I continued to grow worse, until I was often confined to my bed for a week at a time. No remedy I used helped me, and I was in a bad way. Dropsical swellings appeared, and there was an almost complete retention of the kidney secretions. My body also bloated, and it would be impossible to describe the misery I endured. I had about despaired of ever being cured, when I read of a person who had been freed of a similar trouble by Doan's Kidney Pills. Deciding to try them, I procured a supply at J. J. Wood & Son's Drugstore, and I obtained so much relief from the first box that I continued taking the remedy until entirely cured. I have no hesitation in saying that Doan's Kidney Pills saved my life."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Dr. J. A. Croason died Wednesday at his home near Paris.

Miss Emily Virginia Mason, of a famous Virginia family, who won fame during the Civil War as a nurse of Confederate soldiers and who ministered to Union soldiers at Libby Prison, died in Washington City, aged 94. Miss Mason was born in Lexington, Ky.



**KNIGHTS OF CYTHIAS.**  
Stated convention of Limestone Lodge No. 36 K. of P., this evening at 7:00.

CHARLES J. HAYCKE, C. C.  
SHERMAN ARM, K. of R. and S.

**How's This?**  
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CLENNY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known P. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out all obligations made by him.

WALDING, KIRKMAN & MARVIN,  
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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MAYSVILLE, KY.

**DR. ELLA Y. HICKS,**  
OSTEOPATH.

HOURS BY APPOINTMENT AT HOMES.

PHONE 315.

**Better See**  
**SIMPSON**

When medicine fails to relieve that headache; your eyes may need assistance.

Better see Simpson when others fail to fit you with glasses.

Better see Simpson if you want good, reliable, up-to-date optical goods at any kind.

Better see Simpson if you want a thorough and scientific eye examination absolutely free, whether you buy or not. No drugs used at any time.

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NO CREDIT.

## OUR ANNUAL INVOICE JUST COMPLETED

Shows that we have too many heavy-weight Suits and Overcoats, many of them our very finest and best quality, so we have decided to run out.

## CUT-RATE SACRIFICE SALE ALL THROUGH THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY!

We want to clean up this stock, and you have the opportunity of a life-time to get bargains in high-class merchandise.

**J. WESLEY LEE,**

THE GOOD CLOTHES MAN.

**N. E. CORNER**  
**SECOND and MARKET STS.**

## Saturday HOEFLICH'S

5c buys Apron Gingham, worth 7c.  
5c buys Brown Cotton, has been 7c.  
5c buys 7 1/2c All-Linear Crash.  
Prettiest Percales and Gingham in town.  
5c buys 10c Embroideries.  
7 1/2c buys large 10c Towels.  
10c buys 15c Pillow Cases.  
25c buys home-made Aprons and Bonnets.  
19c buys odd Corsets, worth up to 50c.  
Newest Collars, Stocks, Ruchings, Belts, &c.

SATURDAY NIGHT SALE 6 TO 9 ONLY

5c buys 7 1/2c Bleached Muslin.

GET A SPRING FASHION BOOK, ALMOST FREE.

**ROBERT L. HOEFLICH,** 211 and 213 Market Street.

Sole Agent The Big 4.

Scoris Skirts,  
Pony Stockings,  
American Lady Corsets,  
Standard Patterns.



## NATURE IS OUR ONLY RIVAL

In delicate tints, colors and exquisite designs, which are wrought in the perfection of art in our parlor, dining-room, library and bedroom or hall papers. Our wallpapers are prettier than ever this Spring and more reasonable in price.

**CRANE & SHAFER,**

3 East Third Street, Cox Building.

## New Year's Day

Will witness the distribution of several thousand dollars to our depositors as interest on their savings account. Had your idle money been here it would have earned you 3% this last year. Start the New Year right. Let your money make you something.

**MITCHELL, FINCH & CO.'S**  
BANK.

J. B. DURRETT, Cashier.

J. N. KEHOE, President.

## Send Us Your Bills For Estimate

We are headquarters for Lumber, Sash, Doors, Blinds and Mill Work, Shingles, Metal and Rubber Roofing.

**H. H. Collins Lumber Company**  
PHONE 99.

## DRUG TALKS!

What do you need in drugs? That is a broad question, but ours is a big stock, so covers everything you could want in

## DRUGS AND MEDICINES.

In our stock we have nearly 10,000 items. Surely whatever you want can be found here. Worth heeding.

**JOHN C. PECOR**

**JOHN W. PORTER,**  
FUNERAL DIRECTOR.

17 East Second St., MAYSVILLE, KY.

## RAILWAY TIME CARDS.

**CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY.**  
Schedule in effect Nov. 1, 1909. Subject to change without notice.

For Washington and New York,  
\*1:35 p. m., \*10:35 p. m.

For Richmond, Old Point and Norfolk,  
\*1:35 p. m., \*10:35 p. m.

Local for Hinton,  
\*9:40 a. m., \*5:44 p. m.

Local for Huntington,  
\*9:40 a. m., \*5:44 p. m.

For Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, Chicago, Louisville, Nashville, Memphis and West,  
\*9:40 a. m., \*3:17 p. m.

Local for Cincinnati,  
5:15 a. m., 9:00 a. m., \*4:19 p. m.

Leave. Arrive  
\*5:15 a. m. \*8:25 p. m.  
\*8:30 a. m. \*7:55 a. m.  
\*1:15 p. m. \*10:15 a. m.  
\*3:25 p. m. \*1:55 p. m.  
\*Daily \*Except Sunday

**"LIVES OF GREAT MEN ALL REMIND US"**

The story of how Marshall Field amassed his great fortune may be told in a few words. He had something to sell and advertised it.

## Announcements.

Announcements for city office, \$5; county office, \$5; state office, \$10. Cash in advance.

## COUNTY.

### COUNTY CLERK.

We are authorized to announce Mr. P. P. PARKER as a candidate for Clerk of the Mason County Court, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce ARTHUR F. WOOD as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce W. P. DICKSON as a candidate for County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

### FOR JAILER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN EITEL as a candidate for Jailer of Mason County, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

### FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

We are authorized to announce JESSIE O. YANCEY as a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES D. WELLS as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

### COUNTY ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce HENRY R. CHILDS as a candidate for County Assessor, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

### CIRCUIT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce ISAAC WOODWARD as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

We are authorized to announce W. H. RICE as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

### DISTRICT.

To The Public Ledger: You will please announce me as a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Judge in the Nineteenth Judicial District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic Party in Convention or otherwise. JAMES P. HARRISON.

We are authorized to announce Hon. C. D. NEWELL as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the Nineteenth Judicial District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic Party.

### FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.

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